

Appl. No. 10/025,059  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. :10/025,059  
Applicant(s) :CHRISTON et al  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER 1<sup>ST</sup> OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(c)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Office Action of 08/11/2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks.

*Amendments to the Specification* begin on page 2 of this paper.

*Amendments to the Claims* begin on page 3 of this paper.

*Amendments to the Drawings* begin on page 6 of this paper.

*Remarks* begin on page 7 of this paper.